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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YOR	K		
IN RE WORLD TRADE CENTER DISASTER SITE LITIGATION		21 MC 100 (AKH)	
ANTHONY NIGRO AND PATRICIA NIGRO		DOCKET NO.	
Plai	intiffs,	CHECK-OFF ("SH	ODT EODM!!)
		COMPLAINT RELATED TO THE MASTER COMPLA	E
- against -			
A RUSSO WRECKING, ET. AL.,		PLAINTIFF(S) DEN JURY	MAND A TRIAL BY
SEE ATTACHED RIDER,			
Defe	endants.		
By Order of the Honorable Alva 2006, ("the Order"), Amended Master Co			0
	NOTICE OF	ADOPTION	
All headings and paragraphs in a instant Plaintiff(s) as if fully set forth h Plaintiff(s), which are listed below. Thes and specific case information is set forth,	nerein in addition se are marked w	on to those paragraphs ith an '☑' if applicable	specific to the individual

Plaintiffs, ANTHONY NIGRO AND PATRICIA NIGRO, by his/her/their attorneys WORBY GRONER EDELMAN & NAPOLI BERN, LLP, complaining of Defendant(s), respectfully allege:

## I. PARTIES

		A. PLAINTIFF(S)	
1.	✓ Plaintiff, ANTHON	Y NIGRO (hereinafter the '	'Injured Plaintiff''), is an individual and
a citizen of N	New Jersey residing at 68 I	Pitcairn Drive, Roseland, NJ	07068
		(OR)	
2.	Alternatively, $\square$	is the	of Decedent
	, and brings this clai	m in his (her) capacity as of	f the Estate of .
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3. Plaintiff, Patricia Jersey residing at 68 Pitcairn Drive Injured Plaintiff:		ne "Derivative Plaintiff'), -, and has the following		
SPOUSE at all relevant times herein, is and has been lawfully married to Plaintiff ANTHONY NIGRO, and brings this derivative action for her (his) loss due to the injuries sustained by her husband (his wife), Plaintiff ANTHONY NIGRO.  Parent  Child  Other:				
4. In the period from 1 State Police as a Police Officer at:	0/17/2001 to 10/17/20	01 the Injured Plaintiff v	worked for New Jersey	
Please be as specific a	s possible when filling	g in the following dates a	nd locations	
	======   <u>=</u> =			
✓ The World Trade Center Site Location(s) ( <i>i.e.</i> , building, quadrant		The Barge	until .	
From on or about 10/17/2001 until 10/17/2001; Approximately 12 hours per day; for		From on or about until; Approximately hours per day; for Approximately days total.	nours per day; for	
Approximately $\underline{\underline{1}}$ days total.	<u> </u>	Other:* For injured pla	intiffs who worked at	
The New York City Medical Ex From on or about until Approximately hours per Approximately days tota	pla r day; for l.	on-WTC Site building or aintiff worked at the addites alleged, for the hours ys, and for the employer	ress/location, for the per day, for the total	
☐ The Fresh Kills Landfill	Fre	om on or about		
From on or about until Approximately hours per days total	r day; for Na Bu	oproximatelyl oproximatelyo  nme and Address of Non nilding/Worksite:	days total;	
*Continue this information on a se "Other" locations, ple	eparate sheet of paper	if necessary. If more spended of paper with the in		
5. Injured Plaintiff				
✓ Was exposed above;	l to and breathed noxid	ous fumes on all dates, a	t the site(s) indicated	
Was exposed dates at the site(s) in	_	ested toxic substances ar	nd particulates on all	
Was exposed the site(s) indicated		ouched toxic or caustic su	ibstances on all dates at	
✓ Other: Not y	et determined.			
1	Please read this docume	nt carefully.		

It is very important that you fill out each and every section of this document.

6.

Injure	d Plaintiff
V	Has not made a claim to the Victim Compensation Fund. Pursuant to \$405(c)(3)(B)(i) of the Air Transportation Safety and System Stabilization Act, 49 U.S.C. § 40101, the issue of waiver is inapplicable.
	Made a claim to the Victim Compensation Fund that was denied. Pursuant to § 405(c)(3)(B)(i) of the Air Transportation Safety and System Stabilization Act, 49 U.S.C. § 40101, the issue of waiver is inapplicable.
	Made a claim to the Victim Compensation Fund, that was subsequently withdrawn by Ground-Zero Plaintiff. Pursuant to § 405(c)(3)(B)(i) of the Air Transportation Safety and System Stabilization Act, 49 U.S.C. § 40101, the issue of waiver is inapplicable.
	Made a claim to the Victim Compensation Fund that was granted. Pursuant to § 405(c)(3)(B)(i) of the Air Transportation Safety and System Stabilization Act, 49 U.S.C. § 40101, Ground Zero-Plaintiff has waived her/his right(s) to pursue any further legal action for the injuries identified in said claim.

## B. DEFENDANT(S)

The following is a list of all Defendant(s) named in the Master Complaint. If checked, all paragraphs pertaining to that Defendant are deemed pleaded herein.

☐ THE CITY OF NEW YORK	☑ A RUSSO WRECKING
☐ A Notice of Claim was timely filed and	☑ ABM INDUSTRIES, INC.
served on and	☑ ABM JANITORIAL NORTHEAST, INC.
pursuant to General Municipal Law §50-	✓ AMEC CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT,
h the CITY held a hearing on(OR)	INC.
	✓ AMEC EARTH & ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.
☐ The City has yet to hold a hearing as	✓ ANTHONY CORTESE SPECIALIZED
required by General Municipal Law §50-h	HAULING, LLC, INC. ☑ ATLANTIC HEYDT CORP
☐ More than thirty days have passed and the City has not adjusted the claim	
, and the second	☑ BECHTEL ASSOCIATES PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION
(OR)	
☐ An Order to Show Cause application to	☑ BECHTEL CONSTRUCTION, INC.
deem Plaintiff's (Plaintiffs') Notice of	☑ BECHTEL CORPORATION
Claim timely filed, or in the alternative to grant	☑ BECHTEL ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.
Plaintiff(s) leave to file a late Notice of Claim	☑ BERKEL & COMPANY, CONTRACTORS, INC.
Nunc Pro Tunc (for leave to file a late Notice of	BIG APPLE WRECKING & CONSTRUCTION
Claim <i>Nunc Pro Tunc</i> ) has been filed and a determination	CORP
	□ BOVIS LEND LEASE, INC.
is pending	☑ BOVIS LEND LEASE, INC. ☑ BOVIS LEND LEASE LMB, INC.
Granting petition was made on	☑ BREEZE CARTING CORP
☐ Denying petition was made on	☑ BREEZE NATIONAL, INC.
□ PORT AUTHORITY OF NEW YORK AND	☑ BRER-FOUR TRANSPORTATION CORP.
	☑ BURO HAPPOLD CONSULTING ENGINEERS,
NEW JERSEY ["PORT AUTHORITY"]  ☐ A Notice of Claim was filed and served	P.C.
	☑ C.B. CONTRACTING CORP
pursuant to Chapter 179, §7 of The Unconsolidated Laws of the State of New	☑ CANRON CONSTRUCTION CORP
York on	☐ CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF
	NEW YORK, INC.
☐ More than sixty days have elapsed since the Notice of Claim was filed, (and)	☑ CORD CONTRACTING CO., INC
the PORT AUTHORITY has	☐ CRAIG TEST BORING COMPANY INC.
adjusted this claim	☑ DAKOTA DEMO-TECH
the PORT AUTHORITY has not	☑ DIAMOND POINT EXCAVATING CORP
adjusted this claim.	☑ DIEGO CONSTRUCTION, INC.
adjusted tills claim.	☑ DIVERSIFIED CARTING, INC.
	☑ DMT ENTERPRISE, INC.
☐ 1 WORLD TRADE CENTER, LLC ☐ 1 WTC HOLDINGS, LLC	☑ D'ONOFRIO GENERAL CONTRACTORS
☐ 2 WORLD TRADE CENTER, LLC	CORP
□ 2 WORLD TRADE CENTER, LLC □ 2 WTC HOLDINGS, LLC	✓ EAGLE LEASING & INDUSTRIAL SUPPLY
	✓ EAGLE ONE ROOFING CONTRACTORS INC.
☐ 4 WORLD TRADE CENTER, LLC ☐ 4 WTC HOLDINGS, LLC	☐ EAGLE SCAFFOLDING CO, INC.
☐ 5 WORLD TRADE CENTER, LLC	☑ EJ DAVIES, INC. ☑ EN-TECH CORP
□ 5 WTC HOLDINGS, LLC	☐ ET ENVIRONMENTAL
☐ 7 WORLD TRADE COMPANY, L.P.	EVANS ENVIRONMENTAL
LI / WORLD IRADE COMPANI, L.F.	LIC VAINS EN VIRONIVIEN LAL

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☐ Non-WTC Site Building Owner	☐ Non-WTC Site Building Managing Agent
Name:	Name:
Business/Service Address:	
Building/Worksite Address:	Building/Worksite Address:
☐ Non-WTC Site Lessee	-
Name:	
Business/Service Address:	
Building/Worksite Address:	

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The Court's jurisdiction over the subject matter of this action is:

Stabil		Jurisd ut the	iction, (or);  Other (specify): Court has already determined that it has
remov	val jurisdiction over this action, pursuant to 28	U.S.C	C. § 1441.
	III CAUSES	S OF	ACTION
of lial law:			d defendants based upon the following theories a such a claim under the applicable substantive
<b>V</b>	Breach of the defendants' duties and obligations pursuant to the New York State Labor Law(s) including §§ 200 and 240	<b>V</b>	Common Law Negligence, including allegations of Fraud and Misrepresentation
<b>V</b>	Breach of the defendants' duties and obligations pursuant to the New York State Labor Law 241(6)		<ul> <li>✓ Air Quality;</li> <li>✓ Effectiveness of Mask Provided;</li> <li>☐ Effectiveness of Other Safety Equipment Provided</li> </ul>
	Pursuant to New York General Municipal Law §205-a		(specify:);  ☑ Other(specify): Not yet determined
	Pursuant to New York General Municipal Law §205-e		Wrongful Death
		<b>V</b>	Loss of Services/Loss of Consortium for Derivative Plaintiff
		П	Other:

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1. As a direct and proximate result of defendant's culpable actions in the rescue and/or recovery and/or construction, renovation, alteration, demolition and all work performed at the premises, the Injured Plaintiff sustained (including, but not limited to) the following injuries:

	Cancer Injury: N/A.  Date of onset:  Date physician first connected this injury to WTC work:		Cardiovascular Injury: N/A.  Date of onset:  Date physician first connected this injury to WTC work:
	Respiratory Injury: Sinus and/or Nasal Problems; Sinus Problems Date of onset: To be supplied at a later date Date physician first connected this injury to WTC work: To be supplied at a later date	<b>✓</b>	Fear of Cancer Date of onset: 2/1/2006 Date physician first connected this injury to WTC work: To be supplied at a later date
V	Digestive Injury: Acid Reflux Date of onset: 2/1/2006 Date physician first connected this injury to WTC work: To be supplied at a later date	<b>V</b>	Other Injury: Eye and/or Ear Problems; Eye Problems Date of onset: To be supplied at a later date Date physician first connected this injury to WTC work: To be supplied at a later date

*NOTE:* The foregoing is *NOT* an exhaustive list of injuries that may be alleged.

2. As a direct and proximate result of the injuries identified in paragraph "1", above, the

Ground Zero-Plaintiff has in the past suffered and/or will in the future suffer the following compensable damages:	
==== <b>V</b>	Pain and suffering
V	Loss of the enjoyment of life
V	Loss of earnings and/or impairment of earning capacity
<b>▽</b>	Loss of retirement benefits/diminution of retirement benefits  Expenses for medical care, treatment, and rehabilitation
<b>✓</b>	Other:  ✓ Mental anguish ✓ Disability ✓ Medical monitoring ✓ Other: Not yet determined.

3. As a direct and proximate result of the injuries described *supra*, the derivative plaintiff(s), if any, have in the past suffered and/or will in the future suffer a loss of the love, society, companionship, services, affection, and support of the plaintiff and such other losses, injuries and damages for which compensation is legally appropriate.

**WHEREFORE**, plaintiff(s) respectfully pray that the Court enter judgment in his/her/their favor and against defendant(s) for damages, costs of suit and such other, further and different relief as may be just and appropriate.

 $Plaintiff(s) \ demands \ that \ all \ issues \ of \ fact \ in \ this \ case \ be \ tried \ before \ a \ properly \ empanelled \ jury.$ 

Dated: New York, New York January 31, 2008

Yours, etc.,

Worby, Groner Edelman & Napoli Bern, LLP

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### ATTORNEY VERIFICATION

CHRISTOPHER R. LOPALO, an attorney at law, duly admitted to practice in the Courts of the State of New York, affirms under the penalties of perjury that:

He is the attorney for the plaintiff(s) in the above-entitled action.

That he has read the foregoing SUMMONS AND VERIFIED COMPLAINT and knows

the contents thereof, and upon information and belief, deponent believes

the matters alleged therein to be true.

The reason this Verification is made by deponent and not by the plaintiff(s) is that the plaintiff(s) herein reside(s) in a county other than the one in which the plaintiff's attorneys maintain their office.

The source of deponent's information and the grounds of his belief are communication, papers, reports and investigation contained in the file.

DATED: New York, New York

January 31, 2008

CHRISTOPHER R. LOPALO

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	- against -
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	To Attorney(s) for
	Service of a copy of the within
	is hereby admitted. Dated,
	Attorney(s) for
PLE	ASE TAKE NOTICE:
	that the within is a (certified) true copy of an duly entered in the office of the clerk of the within named court on20  OTICE OF SETTLEMENT  that an order of which the within is a true copy will be presented for settlement to the HON. one of the judges of the within named Court, at on 20 atM.  Dated,  Yours, etc.,  WORBY GRONER EDELMAN & NAPOLI BERN, LLP